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COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

Note to my D.C.  
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The Honorable  
William E. Colby  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Colby:

As you know, the President has recently submitted supplemental aid requests for Vietnam and Cambodia. We are presently assembling information on the current situation in these two countries so as to enable ourselves to make informed judgments regarding the requests received from the Executive Branch.

In this connection I would like to request, at the suggestion of Senator Case but on behalf of the entire Committee, that the Central Intelligence Agency provide the Committee with its most recent National Intelligence Estimates on Vietnam and Cambodia. We understand that a new NIE entitled, "Short Term Prospects for Vietnam" was completed sometime late last year. We would like to have a copy of that study, together with the corresponding study on Cambodia, to be held in the Committee offices in the Capitol for the examination of our Members and two key staff officers.

Your early response and attention to this request will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

John Sparkman  
Chairman

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Remarks:

To 1: This is a substantially different request than described by George Carver at this morning's meeting. He and George Cary are meeting on this and will be in touch with you.

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